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SPECIAL CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 356 OF 1997

CORAM : M. S. Parikh, J. Date : March 25, 1997

Petitioner - party in person (legal assistance rendered by Ms. S.S.Patel, learned Advocate)

Mr. S.P.Dave, learned A.P.P. for the respondents.

## ORAL ORDER :

Rule. Service of Rule waived by Mr.S.P.Dave, learned A.P.P.for the respondents. Legal assistance rendered by Ms.S.S.Patel, learned Advocate.

Heard the petitioner, who is present in the Court as also Ms.S.S.Patel, learned advocate and Mr.S.P.Dave, learned A.P.P. for the respondents.

It clearly appears that no application has been moved to the concerned authority, viz. respondent No.2, District Magistrate, Vadodara. Even according to this petition the religious ceremony would fall due on or around 30th March 1997. Hence, following direction is issued:

This petition shall be treated as an application moved before the respondent No.2, who will decide the same in accordance with law on or before 27th March 1997.

Subject to aforesaid direction Rule is discharged.

Office of this Court is directed to intimate the respondent No.2 immediately. Direct service will also be given if sought for.

Date : March 25, 1997 ( M. S. Parikh, J. )